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SUBJECT: WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 237804 AND 239058

1. DUE TO LATE ARRIVAL REFTELS ONLY SUMMARY WAS DISCUSSED WITH LEADING MEMBERS OF DELEGATION.

2. IN PRINCIPLE IRISH GOVERNMENT AGREES WITH US VIEWS. ON WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE. HOWEVER THEY ARE INCLINED TO FAVOR MORE FRENCH VIEWS WHICH DIFFER SOME FROM THOSE OF US.

RES I - WOULD SUPPORT LONG EXPANDED RESEARCH BUT NOT IN POSITION TO COMMIT FUNDS FOR RESEARCH.

RES II - IT AGREES FUNDAMENTALLY WITH AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND WILLING PROVIDE SOME RESEARCH WORKERS WELL
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EXPERIENCED IN THE FIELD.

RES III - IRELAND AGREES WITH US VIEWS ON FERTILIZER.

RES IV - AGREES WITH US VIEWS BUT WANT TO RESTRICT SIZE AND SCOPE.

RES V - NUTRITION. IRISH GOVERNMENT AGREES WITH US BUT WANT TO KNOW VIEWS OF OTHER COUNTRIES.

RES VI - UNLESS LARGEST FOOD PRODUCING COUNTRIES AGREE ON A COMMON FOOD INFORMATION SYSTEM THE PLAN IS DOOMED TO FAILURE.

RES VII - IRELANDS STAND IS NOT CLEAR ON THE RESOLUTION WORLD FOOD SECURITY. SHE WILL BE INCLINED TO LIVE UP WITH COMMON MARKET COUNTRIES VIEWS.

RES VIII - FOOD AID, IRELAND AGREES IN PRINCIPLE WITH US VIEWS.

RES IX - PRICE AND MARKET STABILIZATION, IRELAND AGREES WITH US VIEWS.

RES X - INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND ADJUSTMENT, IRELAND WILL SUPPORT EEC VIEWS.

3. IRISH DELEGATION TO WFC IS AS FOLLOWS:

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